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In re patent application of  
Feng Cheng et al.

Serial No. 09/551,118

Group Art Unit 3627

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For LARGE INVENTORY-SERVICE OPTIMIZATION IN CONFIGURE-TO-  
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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In response to the Office Action mailed July 18, 2003, please amend the  
above-identified patent application as follows:

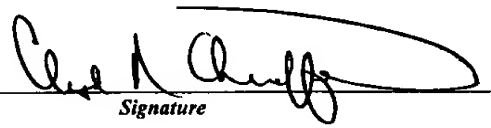
**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are indicated by the notation "currently amended" in the  
listing of claims beginning on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 15 of this paper.

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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)</b>			<b>Docket No.</b> 00280619AA		
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Invention: <b>LARGE INVENTORY SERVICE OPTIMIZATION IN CONFIGURE TO ORDER SYSTEMS</b>					
<u>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>					
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<b>TOTAL CLAIMS</b>	15 -	20 =	0 x	\$18.00	\$0.00
<b>INDEP. CLAIMS</b>	6 -	6 =	0 x	\$84.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
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